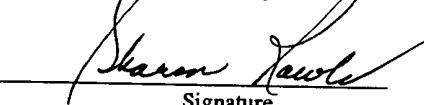




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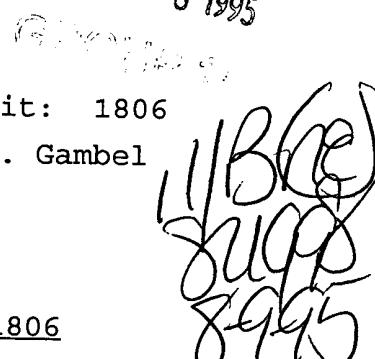
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein, mailed 7 March 1995, time for response to which was set to expire 7 June 1995. A petition for an extension of time of one month until 7 July 1995 is attached along with the required fee. The pending claims, claims 1-40, were rejected and the rejection was made final. Careful consideration has been given to the grounds for rejection, and the following amendment and discussion are offered in response. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

Amendment

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21. (Amended) A pharmaceutical or veterinary vaccine for eliciting an antitumor immune response to prostate tumors in a subject which comprises [an ingredient] at least one antigen which is active to elicit said immune